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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3209**
Takashi AKITA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004_0240A
Serial No. 10/780,718 : Group Art Unit 2613
Filed February 19, 2004 : Examiner David S. Kim
OPTICAL/ELECTRICAL CONVERTING
DEVICE AND METHOD : **Mail Stop: Amendment**

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 9, 2007, the period for response to which having been extended by one month to June 9, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. Patent application as follows: